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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Negro who assaulted a white woman burned at the stake in Elmore county, Ala. —— A complete agreement of the Powers as to China is in sight on the basis of the proposition of Secretary Hay, July 3rd. —— About fifty representatives of mills in the Carolinas are present at the meeting of the Southern Cotton Spinners' Association in Philadelphia. —— The Weather Bureau reports cotton picking well advanced; the bulk of the crop in the eastern and central sections will be gathered by October 10. —— Northern capitalists have formed a combination with rice planters to control the rice market in the United States. —— Republicans claim 266 votes certain in the electoral college for McKinley. —— Hon. David B. Hill spoke in Richmond, Va., last night to a large audience. —— Great parade of striking miners at Wilkesbarre, Pa.: 150,000 men were in line. —— New York markets: Money on call firmer at 2@2½ per cent.; cotton dull, middling uplands 10¼c; flour steady; wheat—spot teasy, No. 2 red 86¼c; corn—spot firm, No. 2 49c; oats—spot steady, No. 2 25¼@25½c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine firm.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 2

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 73 degrees; 8 P. M., 74 degrees; maximum, 84 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, T.; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date. .10 of an inch.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

The weather has been generally fair in all districts except along the Atlantic coast where showers have fallen. Warm weather continues in the southern half of the Gulf States.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2 —For North Carolina—Rain Wednesday and Thursday; fresh northeasterly winds becoming brisk on the coast.

Port Almanac--October 2.

Sun Rises..... 5.55 A. M.
Sun Sets..... 5.43 P. M.
[illegible] Length..... 11 H. 48 M.
[illegible] Water at Southport. 1.06 A. M.
[illegible]gh Water Wilmington. 3.36 A. M.

The paramount issue with Mark Hanna is to hold his grip by "perpetuating" McKinley's administration.

Mr. Roosevelt evidently didn't care to tackle the New York Ice Trust at short range when he went away off to the foot hills of the Rocky Mountains to make remarks on it.

It has been discovered that the saw palmetto, which has been looked upon as worthless, has some valuable uses and unsuspected properties, among them being a cure for kidney and other troubles.

It is said that the island of Galveston was not so very many years ago well above water, but is gradually sinking, so that it is only a question of time when it will be under the waters of the Gulf.

Some of the Pennsylvania papers are warning the mine owners against importing negroes to take the places of the striking miners. They do not think a race racket would be a good way to end the strike racket.

The terror of Chicago women is another woman who meanders the fashionable thoroughfares, snatches hats from women's heads and smashes them so their next door neighbor couldn't recognize them.

One of the reasons, perhaps, why our soldiers in the Philippines do such dare-devil attacking and fighting is that they would rather take the chances of being killed in battle than die lingering deaths from disease.

The microbe's vindication is coming. Several English doctors say they have been cruelly slandered, and that instead of being the innocent causes of disease, and enemies of mankind they are really our friends.

It is said that Li Hung Chang is aging very rapidly. For an old chap past 80 he has managed the aging business pretty well, but a fellow whose wife totes around 4,000 dresses with her couldn't be expected to preserve perpetual youth.

A Chicago professor has proved to his own satisfaction that the stalactite formation found in some caves in Indiana must be ten million years old, and as the remains of animals have been found in them these animals prowled around about that time, too. They haven't found the remains of any people with the animals, although in Long Island they have dug up implements which they say were used by men and women who must have lived 40,000 years ago.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Cotton receipts yesterday were 4,241 bales against 2,384 bales same day last year.

— Election for President and Vice-President and primary for United States Senator, Tuesday, November 6th.

— The Seaboard Air Line Company is grading a side track at Lumberton for the new cotton mill soon to be built there.

— A number of ministers and laymen will leave this afternoon to attend the meeting of Wilmington Presbytery at Chadbourn to-night.

— Walter and George Silvia, two brothers, were arrested yesterday by Sergeant Orrell for an affray. Their case will be tried before the Mayor to-day.

— There was no meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance yesterday afternoon on account of the lack of a quorum. The only members present were Messrs. C. W. Yates and S. P. McNair.

— The next attraction at the Opera House, is announced for next Tuesday evening, the 9th, when Mr. Charles Frohman will present Belasco's comedy dramatization from the French, "Zaza."

— It is probable that a meeting of the County Democratic Executive Committee will be held to night after the speaking, for the appointment of poll-holders for the Senatorial primaries, November 6th.

— The steamer *Buck*, Capt. Ward, will run a new schedule to Southport beginning to-morrow. The boat will leave Wilmington at 9.45 A. M. and leave Southport on the return at 2.30 P. M. Fare for round trip fifty cents.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice—Polling places.
Warren's Cafe—What?
A. Shrier—Hawes' hats.
Munroe & Kelley—Furniture.
S. H. MacRae—Bankrupt notice.
A. Mavronichols—Palace bakery.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Str. Buck—Schedule.
Farm—For sale, lease or rent.
Miss Louise K. Corbett—Fletcher music method.

City School Teachers.

The teachers in the city public schools are requested by the superintendent to meet at the Hemenway building on next Saturday morning instead of on Friday, as previously stated. All new pupils who are applicants for admission to the High School or either of the grammar schools and those who have been conditioned upon any subject will be examined and classified at any time between 9 and 11 o'clock on Saturday at the Hemenway building. The examination will be conducted by Miss Worth, Miss Cook and Mrs. McLeod.

Yom Kippur Being Celebrated.

Yom Kippur, a Jewish holiday and a solemn day of fasting and repentance, began yesterday at sunset and will close to-day at the same time. Stores and places of business of Hebrews will be closed to-day for the occasion. Memorial services are usually held in Jewish synagogues for those of the congregation who have died during the year, and other religious exercises are also observed. Succoth or Feast of the Tabernacles is observed on October 8th or on the 15th day of the month of Tishri.

Campaign Buttons.

The STAR has received a handsome collection of campaign buttons and emblems from the Baltimore Badge and Novelty Company, No. 22 Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md. They are of many catchy designs and are especially adapted to the use of clubs and organizations of a political character. The prices are reasonable and clubs desiring to wear evidences of their political faith would do well to correspond with the company.

Mr. Wallace Chairman.

At a meeting of the County Board of Elections held Monday, at which all the members were present, Mr. C. W. Worth tendered his resignation as chairman and member of the board, and Mr. R. W. Wallace was elected in his stead. At the meeting polling places and other matters pertaining to the election in November were considered and notice of the same is given in the advertising columns of the STAR to-day.

Revenue Cutter Orders.

Among the revenue cutter orders issued from Washington recently are the following: Second Lieutenant O. G. Haines is ordered from the *Onondaga* at Norfolk to the *Algonquin*; Second Assistant Engineer E. W. Davis is detached from the *Algonquin* and placed on waiting orders. The *Algonquin* is expected in port to-day.

Left for Greensboro.

Misses Ida Hankins, Florrie King and Gertrude Bryant, all of whom graduated last June in the class of 1900 from the Tileston High School, left yesterday for Greensboro to attend the State Normal School.

To City Subscribers.

City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to deliver their papers. In all such cases steps will be taken to insure prompt and regular delivery.

Mattings, Carpets and Window Shades cheap at Rehder's. †

THE FISHBLATE CASE

Jury Had Not Reached a Verdict at an Early Hour This Morning.

A NIGHT'S DELIBERATION.

Testimony Was Read, Concluding Argument by Counsel and the Charge by Judge Took Up All of Yesterday's Session of Court.

The damage suit of Fishblate against Wallerstein Klee & Co., in which the plaintiff asks $10,000 actual and $10,000 punitive damage for the alleged wrongful suing out of a writ of attachment upon the stock of the plaintiff, resulting, it is claimed, in his assignment and commercial injury, took up another entire day in the Superior Court yesterday, it not having reached the jury until 7 o'clock in the evening.

At an early hour this morning the jury still had the case in consideration and no verdict had been agreed upon.

Court convened at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning—an hour earlier than usual—so as to afford A. G. Ricaud, Esq., an opportunity of concluding his argument and of leaving on the 9:40 o'clock train for Durham to be with his father, who is critically ill. After concluding the argument the evidence in the case as taken by Miss Stella Shrier, stenographer of the court, was read to the jury and this consumed the entire time of the court until shortly before six o'clock, when the issues were presented to the jury and the charge was given by Judge Moore.

The issues submitted to the jury in this case are as follows:

1. Was the warrant of attachment in the case of Wallerstein & Klee vs. S. H. Fishblate wrongfully sued out?
2. Was the warrant of attachment in the case of Wallerstein & Klee vs. S. H. Fishblate sued out maliciously and without probable cause?
3. What actual damage, if any, has the plaintiff sustained by reason of the wrongful issuing of the said warrant of attachment?
4. What punitive damage, if any, is plaintiff entitled to recover?
5. Did the sheriff make his levy before the filing of the deed of assignment to A. G. Ricaud, trustee, for registration?

Judge Moore's charge occupied a little more than an hour's time and was very comprehensive, touching each issue and reviewing the evidence. Most of the charge was as to the first two issues, which are most in question, the third and fourth becoming obsolete if judgment is in favor of defendant.

The following gentlemen compose the jury in the case: J. P. Walton, J. D. Cottle, L. L. Bland, B. B. Brown, T. J. Herring, J. S. Canady, J. O. Wiggs, David LeGwin, J. W. Scott, W. C. Peterson, W. R. Beery. It is believed that a mistrial will be avoided and that a verdict will be received by the opening of court at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

At the opening of court, the sheriff returned the following as jurors for the day: Jacob L. Solomon, Samuel Bear, Sr., Benjamin Hollis, J. O. Powers, A. B. Lynch, Henry Newman, Ed. Orrell, Thomas Gladden. The following were returned as not found: Alonzo Rowe, Lee Browning and T. J. Rivenbark. Messrs. Jacob L. Solomon, Samuel Bear, Sr., and W. W. Holliday were excused for the day. Of jurors drawn for the week Messrs. Wm. Blanks and C. R. Anderson were excused.

During the day's session Marsden Bellamy, Jr., appeared in court and exhibited license from the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court to practice as an attorney and counsellor at law in the State courts. On motion of Eugene Martin, Esq., the oath of office as required by law was administered to him by Mr. Martin.

PIG SKIN PUSHERS.

Enthusiastic Meeting of Tileston Athletic Association Last Night.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the Tileston Athletic Association was held yesterday evening at the Y. M. C. A. and a number of matters pertaining to the opening of the football season were discussed at length. Probably the most important matter transacted was the adoption of the by laws and constitution. The team will be under thorough control of the Association and some really good games are assured.

Mr. A. C. Jewett was apointed to confer with the merchants and others of the city relative to a fund for the maintenance of the team. The Association promises some good games to the public and the Association should receive every encouragement in the way of contributions, etc.

Practice will begin to night on Front between Church and Castle streets, and candidates for the team are requested to be on hand at 8 o'clock sharp. A game with the Red Springs Military Academy has been arranged for November 1st.

Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy To-night.

A large crowd will doubtless hear Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy's discussion of the issues of the national campaign at the Court House to-night. Thus far Wilmington people have heard few discussions on the issues that confront the American people in this campaign, and a large crowd for this reason should greet Mr. Bellamy. The Bryan and Stevenson clubs are cordially invited to be present, as well as all other Democrats of the city and county.

MRS. EMMA D. NORMENT

Died Monday Evening at Her Home in Lumberton—Has Many Relatives in This City.

Members of the family in Wilmington early yesterday morning received telegraphic news of the death at Lumberton, N. C., on Monday night at 7.30 o'clock of Mrs. Emma Douglass Norment, daughter of the late Dr. Wm. J. and Mrs. Mary P. Harriss, of this city, and wife of Capt. W. S. Norment, of Lumberton.

Mrs. Norment was also a sister of Dr. W. W. Harriss, Mrs. Eliza M. Bellamy, Mrs. A. J. Howell and Miss Mary Harriss, of Wilmington, the last named having been at her bedside at the time of her death. Mrs. Howell, Mrs. Bellamy and daughter, Miss Eliza Bellamy, left yesterday via the Seaboard Air Line to attend the funeral.

The deceased lady was 62 years of age on the day of her death and was universally loved by all who knew her. In December, 1864, she was married to Capt. Norment and seven children were the result of the union, four of whom survive her—Mr. Douglass Norment, Misses Nellie, Emma and Laura Norment, all of Lumberton.

In its account of the death the Lumberton *Argus* of yesterday says:

"Mrs. Norment united with the church when young, and was a loyal Christian until her death. She was devoted to the Presbyterian faith, and dearly loved the house of God. She was a devoted wife, a loving mother, an affectionate sister and sincere friend. She was a great sufferer for several months, but bore it with submission and patience. To her dying was but going 'home.' Our hearts go out in tenderest sympathy to her four children, all of whom have met with an irreparable loss, for the mother's place can never be filled. We commend them to the Saviour whom she so tenderly loved.

"The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. J. S. Black."

PALACE BAKERY SOLD.

Andrew Mavronichols Purchaser of Valuable Market Street Business—Mr. Farriss Retired for Present.

Announcement was made yesterday of the sale of the Palace Bakery, which has been conducted in an up-to date manner on Market street by Mr. W. A. Farriss for a number of years, to Andrew Mavronichols, the well known Greek fruit dealer and confectioner, who has managed with much success a similar business on Fourth street, across the bridge. The new purchaser will open with a new stock on Saturday and will conduct the bakery business as well as the confectionery department. The store and fixtures are as handsome as there are in the city and the STAR predicts for the new proprietor an abundant success. He will continue to conduct the store across Fourth street bridge.

Mr. Farriss, the retiring proprietor, was compelled to abandon the business temporarily on account of the illness of Mrs. Farriss, who has been at Asheville, N. C., for some time recuperating. He will engage in the same business elsewhere or there is a probability that he will return to Wilmington to engage in business. Mr. Farriss during his residence here made the Palace Bakery one of the most up-to date concerns of its kind in the State. The plant and fixtures are second to none and were provided at a great cost in 1898. The friends of Mr. Farriss will regret that the illness of his wife prevented his continuing and enlarging the business as he had contemplated.

LETTER OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.

Governor of Texas Expresses Gratitude to Wilmingtonians for Donation.

Mrs. J. D. Smith, Chairman of the Music Committee for the Concert which was given some days since at the Y. M. C. A. for the benefit of the Galveston sufferers, has received the following letter of acknowledgement from the Governor of Texas:

"DEAR MADAM—I am directed by the Governor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th instant, advising him of the shipment by Southern Express of $237.86, the same being a donation from the musical people and ladies of your city, for the benefit of the storm sufferers on the Texas coast and request you to extend to the liberal contributors of this sum his sincerest thanks and most grateful acknowledgements.

Yours, very respectfully,
N. A. CRAVENS,
Private Secretary.

Real Estate.

The following transfers of real estate were recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds yesterday:

A. M. Waddell, Jr., to Sophy G. Campbell, property on Third street between Orange and Ann, with a frontage of 40 feet and 6 inches, and 95 feet depth, for the sum of $3,500.

Forney J. Gooding and wife to Leon George, property 33x150 feet on Fourth street, between Swann and Nixon, for $725. Also, the adjoining tract of property of the same dimensions to Marshall E. Guy for a similar price.

L'Agile German Club.

L'Agile German Club will hold an important meeting Thursday evening at 8:15 o'clock at the office of Mr. Frank H. Stedman in the Seaboard Air Line building. Matters of importance are to be presented for consideration and it is earnestly desired that there shall be a full attendance of the members.

Mattings, Carpets and Window Shades cheap at Rehder's †

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. J. W. Old, of Charlotte, is at The Orton.

— Mr. L. W. Bates left last night for Richmond.

— Mr. O. E. Miller, of Winston, is in the city.

— Mrs. R. E. Smith returned yesterday from Virginia.

— Dr. L. L. Ardrey, of Burgaw, spent yesterday in the city.

— Editor C. Ed. Taylor, of the Southport *Standard*, spent last night in the city.

— Mr. Alex. Kerr left yesterday for Richmond to enter Massey's Business College.

— Mrs. Geo. G. Thomas and son, Mr. Geo. G. Thomas, Jr., left last night for New York.

— Mrs. H. McL. Green and Miss Alice Green returned home last evening from Newton.

— President Warren G. Elliott, of the A. C. L., and family returned to the city yesterday.

— Mr. R. W. Bidgood, of Fayetteville, was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

— Mr. W. A. Baldwin and family left yesterday for Hamlet where they will reside in the future.

— Mr. and Mrs. William Gilchrist and daughter, Miss Lillie Gilchrist, left last night for Washington, D. C.

— Miss Ella Williams, of Red Springs, arrived in the city last evening and is the guest of Miss Isabel Black.

— Rev. Nathaniel Harding, of Washington, N. C., returned home yesterday after a short visit to Bishop A. A. Watson.

— A. G. Ricaud, Esq., left yesterday for Durham, where he was called on account of the illness of his father, Rev. T. Paige Ricaud.

— Dr. Willard, the osteopathist, is at Rowland, N. C., attending Mr. A. McQueen, a prominent citizen of that place, who is very sick.

— Mr. Clarence Crapon has resigned as clerk at the Western Union Telegraph office, and after a few weeks' rest will accept another position.

— Col. R. T. Bennett and Mr. Jas. A. Leak, of Wadesboro, are here on business in the Superior Court in connection with the old Bank of New Hanover case.

— Charlotte *Observer*: "Mrs. A. M. Waddell, who has been visiting in Lincolnton, will join her husband here to-day and they will leave for their home in Wilmington to-morrow."

— Lumberton *Argus*: "Mrs. Sue Bowden and children, Walter and Emma, of Wilmington, who have been spending some time with Mrs. Bowden's mother, near here, are the guests of Mrs. J. H. Wishart.

TAYLOR'S BOYS BRIGADE

Presented With New Guns—Contribution to Galveston Sufferers.

At a meeting of Col. Walker Taylor's Boys' Brigade Monday evening, Col. Taylor presented the entire brigade with new guns and accoutrements. It is now well equipped.

A battalion drill has been ordered for next Monday night at 8.30 o'clock at the corner of Front and Market streets. A large number of citizens will no doubt view the parade.

In order to accommodate a few of their friends who want to unite themselves with the company, the brigade decided to suspend the initiation fee for the next few weeks.

Each member of the brigade donated a day's wages for the relief of the suffering Texans. The sum raised was $35. The contribution was altogether voluntary and therefore all the more highly commendable.

ONE OF BRIGHTEST IN STATE.

[*Chadbourn Messenger.*]

We congratulate the Wilmington STAR upon the entry on its sixty-seventh semi-annual volume. The STAR is one of the brightest dailies in the State and for a third of a century it has labored for the upbuilding of North Carolina and the success of the Democratic party. May its rays be shed for many years to come.

Valuable Place for Sale.

The farm and beach containing about 600 acres known as the "Black place" about two miles from Wrightsville, is offered for sale, lease or rent in the advertising columns of the STAR this morning. The place is beautifully situated, with residence looking toward the ocean and is healthy. The land is admirably adapted to trucking and fishing and is near the Wilmington and Newbern railroad.

Mr. Kyle Manager Again.

The STAR learns that Mr. James Kyle has again become manager of the Wilmington Tariff Association and for the present will spend a part of his time here directing the affairs of this institution, which is commercially of so much value to Wilmington. Later Mr. Kyle will move his family to the city and spend his entire time here. Mr. Kyle is a man of vast experience in tariff matters and no better selection could have been made.

Released on Bond.

Ed. Brewer, the young white man who has been in the county jail for several weeks, charged with highway robbery, was released yesterday, having put up $25, the required bond, for his appearance at court.

Mattings, Carpets and Window Shades cheap at Rehder's. †

PRESENTED WITH MEDAL.

Prof. Musto the Recipient of a Handsome Gold Medal from the Second Regiment Band.

The Second Regiment Band had a festive celebration last night at the band room, in honor of their esteemed leader, Prof. F. Musto, who will sever his connection with the band until next Spring and return to his home in Philadelphia. The occasion was informal, but its pleasure will linger long in the memories of those who were present.

After the band had discoursed a few choice selections, Mr. Richard B. Clowe, in behalf of the band, presented to Prof. Musto, in a few remarks, a handsome gold medal in the form of a lyre, with a scroll above. On the scroll is engraved "Prof. F. Musto," and the back of the medal bears the inscription, "From the Second Regiment Band, Wilmington, N. C., 1900." He said it was presented by the band to show its high appreciation of Prof. Musto's services and as a token of its esteem and good wishes for his future success. Prof. Musto was much affected by the manifestation of the high regard in which he is held by the band and responded in a few feeling words.

Prof. Musto has been in the leadership of the band since last April, and under his directorship it has made wonderfully rapid strides and has attained a notable degree of excellence. It is almost certain that Prof. Musto will return to the band next May and resume its leadership.

The evening's festivities were concluded with an elegant banquet. Several very appropriate toasts were responded to in a happy manner. The entire reception was gotten up under the direction of Mr. Will Rehder, who deserves much credit for the delightful success of the occasion.

Handsome Vestibule Coach.

Another handsome new vestibule day coach has been turned out at the A. C. L. shops here and went out on the road last night. It will be put on the main line. The coach is elegant in its every appointment. Its inside length is sixty one feet and it will seat seventy-five passengers.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT.

STORE now occupied by W. H. Gaylord, opposite New Market, and Store on Water, next to corner Red Cross St.
sep 16 1m Apply to ANDREW SMITH.

Joint Meeting Democratic Clubs.

There will be a joint meeting on Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the Court House of all the Bryan and Stevenson Democratic Clubs of the city, at which the Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy will speak upon the issues of the campaign. Let everybody come. E. F. JOHNSON,
oct 2 tf Chairman Dem. Ex. Com.

It's All the Go. What?

NEW RIVER OYSTERS at WARREN'S CAFE.
oct 3 tf

WILMINGTON SEA COAST R. R.

On and after Sept. 24, 1900, the schedule will be as follows:

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
2.30 P. M.	8.00 A. M.
6.00 P. M.	5.00 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAIN.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View
2.30 P. M.	5.00 P. M.
6.00 P. M.	

Freight will be carried only on the 2.30 P. M. train. No goods will be received unless accompanied by way bills and FREIGHT PREPAID. Freight must be received at our depot 15 minutes before leaving time of train. No exceptions will be made to these rules.
sep 22 tf R. O. GRANT, Supt.

3 to 1.

Stop and think over this offer. This is the way I start the ball rolling this Fall. You can get for a few days THREE LBS. Parched or Ground LAGUYRA COFFEE for

19c pound.

Regular price is twenty-five cents pound. Only three pounds sold one person. Another big surprise shortly. Watch.

S. W. SANDERS,
at
oct 3 tf THE UNLUCKY CORNER.

FOR RENT.

OFFICE OVER ZOELLER'S JEWELRY STORE. SIZE 20 X 60.

ALSO, STORE 110 NORTH WATER STREET.

Immediate possession given.
Apply to
SAMUEL BEAR, Sr.
sep 8 tf

PALACE BAKERY

Having purchased all the store, furniture and fixtures, bakery and ice cream factory of the "Palace Bakery," this is to notify the patrons of the Palace Bakery that it will open with a full, fresh and new stock of Confectioneries, Bread, Cakes, Pies, etc.,

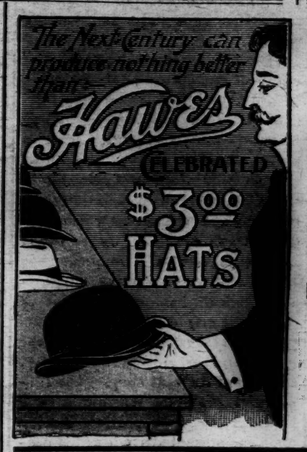
Saturday, October 6th.

I will also have a fresh line of home-made Candies and will furnish the best Ice Cream on short notice delivered anywhere in the city. My business at No. 703 North Fourth street will continue as heretofore.

Thanking my friends

and the public for their liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon me, and asking a continuance of the same, I am respectfully to serve you,

Andrew Mavronichols.
No. 119 Market street. Bell 'Phone 261. Inter-State 25. oct 3 1t



1900 ---- 1901.

Fall and Winter styles of the celebrated

Hawes' $3.00 Hats

will go on sale

Monday morning, September 24th.

A. SHRIER,
SOLE AGENT
34 S. E. corner Front and Princess Sts
Bell 'Phone 555.

For Rent.

Stores,
Dwellings,
Offices and
Warehouses.

Some Real Bargains.

D. O'CONNOR,
sep 29 tf Real Estate Agent.

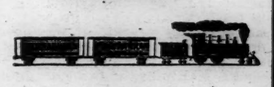
SEED RYE AND SEED WHEAT.

60	Bushels Seed Rye.
60	Bushels Seed Wheat.
25,000	Pounds Rib Sides.
5,000	Pounds Lard.
50	Barrels Nice Mullets.
20,000	Pounds Hoop Iron.
1,000	Second Hand and New Casks.
500	Bushels Va, Water Ground Meal.

And car-loads of other stuff.
Get our prices.

D. L. GORE CO.,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
sep 23 tf Wilmington, N. C.

NOTICE.



Office of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Carolina Central Railroad Company.
PORTSMOUTH, VA., Sept. 4th, 1900.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Carolina Central Railroad Company will be held in the Front street office of the company in the city of Wilmington, State of North Carolina, on Thursday, the 4th day of October, A. D., 1900, at 1 o'clock P. M.
sep 5 1m JOHN H. SHARP, Secretary.

TORNADO INSURANCE.

NOW IS THE TIME TO GET

TORNADO INSURANCE,

BY APPLYING TO

FRANK H. STEDMAN,
INSURANCE AGENT.
sep 19 tf



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in a word. The beauty and value of our up to-date ideas for every room in the house are as the sun in a full blaze in a clear sky.

Here you have prices like a rail and qualities like a barrel, ——$——.

Munroe & Kelley,
No. 10 South Front street.
Bell 'Phone 115. oct 3 1t

NOTICE.

For the Election in November the Following are the Registrars and the Polling Places for the Various Precincts in the county of New Hanover.

FIRST WARD.

First Precinct, W. H. Cox, Registrar. Polling place McEvan's office on Fourth street between Bladen and Harnett streets.

Second Precinct, J. T. McIver, Registrar. Polling place Phoenix Hose Reel House.

Third Precinct, W. A. Wright, Registrar. Polling place Hose Reel House at Brooklyn bridge.

SECOND WARD.

Arthur J. Hill, Registrar. Polling place Old Court House.

THIRD WARD.

J. W. Barnes, Registrar. Polling place corner Eighth and Princess streets.

FOURTH WARD.

Thos. G. Pickett, Registrar. Polling place Worth's Ice House, Dock street.

FIFTH WARD.

First Precinct, A. J. Shepard, Registrar. Polling place Hook and Ladder House on South Fifth street, near Castle street.

Second Precinct, Matt. Bremer, Registrar. Polling place corner Eighth and Castle streets.

CAPE FEAR TOWNSHIP.

W. H. Shearin, Registrar. Polling place Blossom's Store.

HARNETT TOWNSHIP.

First Precinct, "Delgado," J. D. Woody, Registrar. Polling place Delgado Store.

Second Precinct, George T. Shepard, Registrar. Polling place Township House, 7 miles.

MASONBORO TOWNSHIP.

D. J. Fergus, Registrar. Polling place Township House.

FEDERAL POINT TOWNSHIP.

Benjamin Horne, Registrar. Polling place Biddle's Store.

Time for Registration from October 22nd to October 27th, both inclusive.

R. W. WALLACE, Chairman.
JOHN HAAR, Secretary
County Board of Election.
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Now For The Fall Trade.

We are now prepared

to fill all orders for goods in our line, wholesale and retail, at prices that will surprise you. Quality, too, is a feature in which we excel.

Agicultural Implements, Fine Cutlery, Tinware, Saddles, Horse Collars, Guns, Pistols, Ammunition of every kind, Stoves, Ranges—

Well, it would require too much space to enumerate the thousand and one articles that make up one of the most complete stocks ever offered in the South

Polite attention, prompt filling of orders and perfect satisfaction guaranteed.

J. W. Murchison & Co.
Orton Building,
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ANNOUNCEMENT.

On October 1st we change. But do not move. We have had no REMOVAL SALE, nor will we have. But we are selling lots of SHOES. The fact is, the low prices at which we are closing out some of our lines are attracting people from far and near. Everything that we do not expect to keep up sizes and styles on in our Shoe Department,

Will go---
Regardless of cost.

This Department of our business will be OUR SPECIALTY yet. We shall make it interesting in all the different departments. We hope to be ready to serve the public in splendid shape by the 12th or 13th.

Watch our space

in this paper. Try us once and you will come again.

Respectfully,
MERCER & EVANS.
sep 30 tf

VOLLERS & HASHAGEN, DISTRIBUTORS.

PROVISIONS, GRAIN, HAY, TOBACCOS.

Exclusive selling agents for
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CUBAN BLOSSOMS, RENOWNS, SMOKETTES, TOPICAL TWISTS.

These goods are unsurpassed, and for quality are unexcelled. One trial will suffice.
sep 9 tf

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, In the matter of Julia A. Malloy, Bankrupt. In bankruptcy. To the Honorable Thomas R. Purnell, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina. Julia A. Malloy, of Maxton, in the county of Robeson and State of North Carolina, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 31st day of August last past, she was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that she has duly surrendered all her property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the Court touching her bankruptcy. Wherefore she prays that she may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against her estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 1st day of October, A. D. 1900.
JULIA A. MALLOY, Bankrupt.

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.

Eastern District of North Carolina, ss.: On this 1st day of October, A. D. 1900, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1900, before the said Court, at the office of the undersigned referee in Fayetteville, N. C., in the said district, at one o'clock in the afternoon; and that notice thereof be published in THE MORNING STAR, a newspaper printed in the said district, and that all known creditors, and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

Witness my hand at Fayetteville, in the said district, on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1900.
S. H. MACRAE,
oct 3 1t Referee in Bankruptcy.

September Mullets.

14,000 Pounds New Mullets.
100 Bbls. very best Pat. Flour.
200 Sacks very best Pat. Flour.
1,000 Sacks Half Pat. Flour.
240 Bbls. Half Pat. Flour.
70 Bags Granulated Sugar.
86 Bbls. Sugar.
300 Gross Little Star Matches.
240 Gross Globe Matches.
150 Gross Coast Matches.
165 Gross B. & C. Matches.
125 Cases Lump Starch.
110 Cases Celluloid Starch.

W. B. COOPER,
310 and 312 Nutt street.
sep 30 tf Wilmington, N. C.

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter 1, 4:10 p. m. Third Quarter 15, 4:51 a. m.
Full Moon 8, 8:18 a. m. New Moon 23, 8:27 a. m.
First Quarter 31, 3:17 a. m.

The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 3.

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.



For President:

WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska.

For Vice-President:

ADLAI E. STEVENSON, of Illinois.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

Electors at Large.

LEE S. OVERMAN, of Rowan.
DAN HUGH McLEAN, of Harnett.

District Electors.

First District:
CHAS. L. ABERNATHY, of Carteret.
Second District:
T. C. WOOTEN, of Lenoir.
Third District:
HENRY L. COOK, of Cumberland.
Fourth District:
B. C. BECKWITH, of Wake.
Fifth District:
WM. A. GUTHRIE, of Durham.
Sixth District:
W. C. DOWD, of Mecklenburg.
Seventh District:
J. R. BLAIR, of Montgomery.
Eighth District:
WM. S. PEARSON, of Burke.
Ninth District:
JNO. M. CAMPBELL, of Buncombe.

For Congress, Sixth District:

JOHN D. BELLAMY, of New Hanover.

THE GERMANS IN THE WEST.

In speculating on the result of the coming Presidential election there is one factor that must not be lost sight of, for that factor will in all probability decide the result. This factor is the German-American vote. The reason why it is a factor, and such an important one in this campaign, is because it is a very large vote, large enough in a number of States to hold the balance of power, and because as a rule the German-Americans vote pretty much one way. There are differences among them, of course, but the large majority of them, as we have said, are generally found voting together. They do not vote for the party simbly because they are with it or have voted with it before, but because it represents some one or more issues that they believe in, and when it proves false to those or adopts issues that they do not believe in they will vote against it as quickly and as solidly as they voted with it before.

We very well remember the time when the majority of the German voters in the North and West were Democrats and adhered to the Democratic party until the free soil issue, as it was called, was raised. That was the issue confining slavery to the area in which it then existed, debarring it from the territories. On that issue many of them went over to the free soil party and voted for John C. Fremont for President, and afterwards very naturally aligned themselves with the Republican party, the outgrowth and successor of the free soil party.

Carl Schurz was then a leader of the Germans, as he is now, and was one of the potent agencies in carrying the Germans over almost solidly to the Republican party, which they then believed to be the party of liberty and progress. Carl Schurz himself had fought for liberty and became a refugee to this country, and he naturally gave in his adhesion to the party which professed to be the champion of liberty. He, like the great bulk of his countrymen in this country, identified himself with the Republican party on the slavery issue, and now he appeals to his countrymen and their sons on the issue of liberty as he did forty years ago when he took the stump for Abraham Lincoln. The freedom of the slaves was his theme then, the freedom of the Filipino his theme now. He was influenced by sentiment then, intensified by the futile efforts he had made for liberty in his own country, but he has more than sentiment to inspire him now, for the war against the Filipinos is not only a war against liberty but a war begun in treacherous breach of faith and conducted with a cold-blooded brutality that constitutes one of the most shameful chapters in our history. This is the issue that has put the German-Americans to thinking and is turning them by the thousand away from the Republican party, with which they have as a body, in the Northern and Western States, co-operated for a third of a century. There are other issues that have had more or less influence in changing them, but this is the immediate and leading issue.

There is in the Cincinnati *Enquirer* of last Saturday an interview with Judge Bohm, the leading German of Cleveland, Ohio, Mark Hanna's home city, which gives a pretty accurate idea of the sentiments of the German-Americans in the West, their changes in the party relations and the causes which produced these changes. Judge Bohm has always been a Republican, has held a number of elective offices as a Republican, has been a judge of one of the city courts for eighteen years, has always been one of the leaders and organizers in his party, and one of its most eloquent and influential orators. We quote from his interview that portion bearing upon the present attitude of his people, and the reasons for it, thus:

"With the thinking Germans, imperialism is indeed the paramount issue, as your Democratic platform denominates it. German-Americans know the weight of the man in mail. They love America for its freedom, and they are more jealous of that freedom than the American native. Of course, with a very large class of Germans the question of trust supremacy is an almost equally weighty consideration. You know, many of our people are small dealers—retailers of groceries—dollar-and-cent merchants, who operate on small capital and figure profits.

"Naturally, as nearly every staple they deal in is now controlled in price by a trust, they have suffered severely by the centralization of capital, which has amounted almost to a revolution in commercial methods since 1896. They hate imperialism as a menace; they feel the trust system as a blow to their individual thrift. The average German citizen falls into the same rut of thinking as the average American, but the German is more free in the expression of his opinion. He has a less secretive habit of thought, and it is much easier to find out his sentiment on any political issue than the American's.

"I have no hesitation in saying that the German-Americans, or a vast majority of them, will refuse to support Mr. McKinley. I believe they feel as I do: That loyalty to the Republican party does not demand the condonation of an un-Republican policy on the part of a fortuitous head. McKinley's imperialism, McKinley's fostering of the trusts, McKinley's pro-British sympathies in the struggle of the Boers for liberty—all of them are un-Republican, and it is true Republicanism to rebuke McKinley in the most direct and effective way. I judge that the rebuke will be forthcoming.

"I recently addressed the first meeting of German-Americans which has been held here to consider these subjects. We people propose to have a number of such meetings during the campaign. This first audience was a surprisingly large one, and was made up of the representative men of my race in this city. I made an almost purely academic discussion of national issues in the light of past history, and it was as well received as though I had made a stump speech. It was a direct attack, of course, upon the she policies af the present Administration, and the applause indicated not only much real enthusiasm, but an unusual discernment and understanding on the part of the listeners. Mr. L. W. Habercom, who followed me and talked about the trusts, was almost equally well recived. The audience was largely Republican; Mr. Hebercom, is a Republican (he was chief of the German Republican Literary Bureau in Chicago in 1896), and I have always been a Republican. I can only conclude from the result of that meeting, and from the private information that has come to me, that the Republican German-Americans are determined that the policies of Mr. McKinley and Mr. Hanna are not their policies. In 1896 I was a member of the German Central Republican Club, of this city. I arranged and raised the money for our trip to Canton. On our return from that trip we organized the Nonpartisan German American Sound Money Club. We had 3,000 signers of our membership roll. Of the 3,000 votes represented in the membership of that club it is, in my mind, perfectly certain that 85 per cent. will go for Bryan this year. The vast majority of the Germans in Cleveland voted for McKinley in 1896. I believe that I am entirely within the bounds of reason when I say that three fourths of them will this year vote for Bryan."

"Counting the Swiss and the German-Austrians, the Germans constitute 40 per cent. of the population of Cleveland. And you must bear in mind that the working Germans are not of the common laborer class. Common labor now is performed largely by Slavs, Poles, Italians and Bohemians. Consequently the 'full dinner pail' is not a potent argument with the Germans. They expect something more than merely enough to eat. Of course, the movement among the Germans here has not crystalized yet. There has been little systematic work on the part of the Democrats on account of a lack of funds."

It may be safely assumed that what Judge Bohm herein says about the Cleveland Germans applies to the German-American voters in other Western and Northern States and for the same reasons. What drives the Ohio Germans from the Republican party will drive the New York or Wisconsin Germans because they think alike on the issues in question. The Republican leaders confess the situation and the peril to their party when they endeavor, as Hanna did in Chicago, to divert the attention of the German-American voters from these issues by holding up the silver scare to them, in which, however, they will meet with much less success than they did four years ago.

Keep your eye on the German-Americans, for their vote means trouble for McKinley, Hanna and the imperialistic boomers who are with them.

This country was settled a good deal earlier than is generally supposed. They are discovering in Long Island and thereabouts implements used by human beings, who, they say, must have lived 40,000 years ago or thereabouts. These were the original Tammany fellows.

OPPOSED TO FORCIBLE EXPANSION.

In another article in this issue based on an interview with Judge Bohm, a leading German-American of Cleveland, Ohio, on the sentiment of the Cleveland German-Americans on the subject of the war in the Philippines, we remarked that what he said was equally applicable to the German-Americans of New York, Wisconsin, or any other State. There is in all of the Northern States where there is a considerable German population a society known as the Turner Society, a very numerous body in the aggregate, and composed of the best elements of the population. It is social rather than political, but it takes an interest in absorbing public questions, and sometimes makes them subjects of discussion at their meetings. When they do it may be taken for granted that they feel a deep interest in such subjects.

The society in Milwaukee, Wis., a city in which the Germans constitute a majority of the inhabitants, at its meeting, last Friday night, discussed the Philippine question, the result of which was the adoption of the following resolutions:

"We recognize in all nations alike the right to defend their liberty and to assert their independence by force of arms.

"We consider every war for the purpose of territorial expansion to be an act of brutal force, hostile to our American spirit of civilization and humanity.

"We condemn any and every attempt to spread the blessings of civilization at the point of the sword, because it is a hypocritical pretext merely, behind which there are lurking the greed and avarice of concentrated wealth.

"We protest against the policy of conquest pursued by our administration and against all expansion of the territory of the United States by force of arms."

What more unequivocal condemnation of the McKinley policy, or endorsement of the Democratic position could be uttered than this? Can it be supposed that men who thus go upon record, who have no axes to grind and are not controlled by the bosses, would go to the polls and vote for what they thus emphatically condemn? The person who thinks they would does not know the German people. They are not built that way.

POLITICS PREVENTS.

The people of this country get but little reliable information as to the progress of events in the Philippines or the situation from official sources; when they do it is by oversight of the authorities, or a leak or an accident. The only truthful, reliable information they get is from the Associated Press dispatches which occasionally find their way to the public, from newspaper correspondents who succeed in eluding the censors, or from the private correspondence of soldiers and others, who write not for publication but to their friends, but whose letters do sometimes reach the public.

The following, which we clip from the Charleston *News and Courier*, is one of these and it tells a pitiful and doubtless a truthful story:

"A Virginia lady in Nagasaki, Japan, has written a letter to a friend in this city, which, besides containing much information on the Chinese situation, touches on Filipino affairs in a way that will be very instructive to those who insist that because the Administration at Washington has done wrong, it must persist in wrong-doing to the greater glory of humbug. The correspondent writes as follows:

"'In our anxiety for China we had quite forgotten the Philippines until the other day, when the Rev. ——, of Manila, called to see us. He is sick, poor man, like nearly all of our men down there. His story of his experiences was interesting. He says his service as chaplain in the army has been the most glorious part of his ministry. His account of camp life, when the men must do on half rations, sleep in the rain, get sick and die, made my heart ache. He was homesick, and so are all the soldiers. Poor boys and poor mothers! We went on board his ship, the Thomas. It is Uncle Sam's finest transport, and magnificent. But the poor sick and wounded gave me the heartache. The men are wan and so reduced by malaria and dysentery that they can never reach home. Several men died while the boat was in port. The chaplain says that thousands of our men are thus perishing, and are not taken home for political reasons. What corruption and strife in our men of authority! May the Lord have mercy on us all!'"

There are volumes in this brief extract. What an exposure of the flint-hearted brutality, the callousness to the privations and sufferings of our soldiers in this infernal game of greed and grab, the story of which is concealed as much as possible "for political reasons."

BOOK NOTICES.

There is much excellent reading in *The Eclectic Magazine* for October, consisting of selections from the leading standard European periodicals, and all on entertaining and instructive subjects. Address the Living Age, Boston.

The October number of *The Century* is an exceedingly attractive and interesting one with its fine list of contents and numerous and superb illustrations, a feature in which this publication excels. In the list of contents are several instructive articles on China, and one that will interest artistic readers especially on "American Miniature Painting." Address Century Company, Union Square, New York.

In the varied list of contents in *McClure's Magazine* for October, which is handsomely illustrated, are two, one on the "Strategy of Political Campaigns," which will be read with interest by those who give attention to politics, and one on the "Ancestry of the Horse," which may be read with interest by everybody. These are but two of a large list of entertaining papers. Published by the S. S. McClure Company, 141-155 E. 25th street, New York.

"If I were sick and wanted to get well, I'd find out how some one else got well who had the same sort of sickness as mine."

If your sickness is like hers, Mrs. Jacobs' story will interest you.

"I was very sick indeed," writes Mrs. Mollie Jacobs, of Felton, Kent Co., Delaware, "and our family doctor said I had consumption. I thought I must die soon for I felt so awful bad. Had a bad cough, spit blood, was very short of breath, had pains in my chest and right lung, and also had dyspepsia. Before I took your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets' I was so weak I could not sweep a room, and now I can do a small washing, and I feel like a new person. I believe that the Lord and your medicine have saved my life. I was sick over two years. I took 13 bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and four vials of Dr. Pierce's Pellets."

Are *you* sick? Are *your* lungs "weak?" Have you obstinate lingering cough, with bleeding lungs, weakness and emaciation? Thousands in just your case have been cured by the use of

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It always helps. It almost always cures. Sick persons are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter absolutely without fee or charge. All correspondence is strictly private. **Write and get a specialist's opinion on your case, free.** Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

PACKED TO THE DOME.

Minnesota is one of the States that the Republican managers confidently claim for McKinley. They do so because it is normally a Republican State and has unvaryingly gone Republican in every Presidential election since it has become a State, and therefore the Republican leaders feel easy about it. Yet, in the city of St. Paul where Mr. Bryan spoke Monday night the auditorium which seats 8,000 people was crowded from floor to dome. At the opening of the campaign, the spectacular candidate for Vice President on the Republican ticket went to St. Paul to address a convention of the Republican Leagues of the United States, but there was no such popular greeting and no such turn out of the people to hear him, although his coming was widely heralded by the press and by eye-attracting Rough Rider show bills.

There is nothing in this to indicate a political revolution in the State, but there is enough in it to indicate that the voters of that State are doing a good deal of thinking for themselves, and that the Republican managers have not as close a grip on them as they have had in the past. They may and probably will carry the State but if they do it will be because they can afford to lose a good many votes and still carry it. If there were a small Repulican majority to contend against the Democrats might make that fighting ground and capture it.

Henry Clews, the banker, has written a book on "How to Get Rich." That's the easiest thing in the world. All that is necessary is to save your money until you get a million or two and invest it in Standard Oil or Sugar Trust stock, or some of the other big trusts, and draw your divies.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— So far Senator Hanna does not seem to have said anything on the stump in favor of the ship subsidy bill, under the terms of which it is proposed to take millions out of the treasury for the benefit of certain ship owners.—*Savannah News, Dem.*

—— There is no more resemblance between the cases of Louisiana and the Philippines than there is between Thomas Jefferson, the father of the Democratic party, and William McKinley, the most authoritative exponent of imperialism, militarism and trustism, the chief doctrines of the Republican party.—*New Orleans Picayune, Dem.*

—— The St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* dubs the late General Palmer "the last of the Democrats," The same paper is full of hysterical appeals to the Republicans to register and be sure to vote lest the Democrats sweep the country. It would seem that, despite the St. Louis paper's phrase, there are some Democrats left.—*Mobile Register, Dem.*

—— While many of the orators of the Republican party are tearing their voices in asserting that the real issue in the campaign is silver at sixteen to one, Senator Stewart, the rotten borough Senator from Nevada, who for a quarter of a century has made it his hobby, declares it is as dead as a mackerel, and is supporting Mr. McKinley in defense of his Philippines policy, which he says is the paramount issue.—*Louisville Courier Journal, Dem.*

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich, tell how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully inproved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleepleness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy speels. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by B. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

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STIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Wilson *News*: Saturday afternoon Mrs. Nannie Amerson, wife of Mr. Geo. Amerson, who is a farmer living about eight miles from Wilson, near Stantonburg, died of heart failure after an illness of some time.

— Waynesville *Courier*: A big land deal has been closed in which about 35,000 acres of land in Jackson known as the Canada tract, has been transferred from the Love estate to the National Abrasive Co. The consideration was about $45,000.

— Lincoln *Journal*: Mr. R. D. Smith, who recently purchased the old Helderman mine in this county, near Alexis, seems to have struck it rich. The first dumps from the shafts which he is opening assayed an average of $81 per ton, while other ore from the veins assayed over two thousand dollars per ton. Mr. Smith bought the mines some months ago for $800.

— Kinston *Free Press*: Mr. Thomas Singleton was found dead at his gate in Duplin county, on Tuesday morning, September 25th. He was a good and clever man, loved by all who knew him. He had started to town with a load of produce about 3 o'clock, and about 5 o'clock his wife found him at the gate dead. Hart disease caused his deaih. He was 38 years of age.

— High Point *Enterprise*: A company composed of some of our representative business men was organized here Thursday for the purpose of manufacturiug iron bedstead. This is rather on a new line, and yet the goods are classed in the regular furniture line. The name of the new enterprise is the Metallic Bed Company, with an authorized capital stock of $50,000, $10,000 of which has been paid in.

— Winston *Republican*: Messrs. Sprinkle, Shamel & Co., threshers, have finished their season's work and report 16,000 bushels threshed as a result. Among the crops threshed was 1,541 for J. W. Speas, 1,300 for J. M. Hunter, 1,000 for Sam James, while a number of crops ran from 100 to 800 bushels. This was certainly a good year, one of the best in our recollection.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: Mr. Henry Haley, a young man just 20 year of age, an employe in the Holt-Morgan factory, died Saturday after noon of typhoid fever. —— Dr. Russell, of Dunn, while dressing a blood poisoned hand of a man last Friday, suffered a transfusion of some of the poison to a scratch on his own hand by the bite of a fly, and when last heard from (Saturday morning) the doctor's arm and hand were badly swollen and he was suffering excrutiatingly.

— Asheboro *Courier*: Nathaniel Brown, a prominent farmer and influential citizen, died at his home September 25th, three miles southeast of Asheboro, after a brief illness, aged 78 years and 9 months. —— Mr. T. J. Finch, of Wheatmore, raised on his farm this year 3,391 bushels of wheat and considerable oats and rye. —— Mr J. F. Cameron threshed his wheat two weeks ago and the yield was 1,024½ bushels on his farm. One of his neighbors, Mr. W. J. Delk, raised about 7 bushels and another neighbor, Mr. Wyatt Gallimore, raised 500 bushels. —— It has been going the rounds of the papers that Mr. John Lambert raised 605 bushels of wheat on 20 acres. Mr. Lambert lives at Thomasville, but raises wheat in Randolph on what used to be the General Gray farm in Trinity township. It was 560 bushels on 23 acres, not quite as good as published, but nevertheless an excellent yield. —— Mr. J. H. Kivett, living near Kildee, while plowing recently ploughed up and killed 33 snakes in one day. They were all of the variety known as adders, and were from 10 inches to 2½ feet long.

TWINKLINGS.

— Suggestion: Wife—"We need a new set of china, dear. This one is nearly gone." Husband—"Why don't you wait until we get a new cook and start even?"—*Harper's Bazar.*

— A Dangerous Article—Dorothy had never before seen a dwarf. "My!" she exclaimed in a scarcely audible whisper, "he must have been brought up on condensed milk."—*Judge.*

— Real Gratitude: Tramp (to Chappie, who has given him a shilling)—"I 'ope as 'ow some day, sir. you may want a shillin' an' that I'll be able to give it to yer!"—*Punch.*

— Loves Round-Robin—"Belinda is dreadfully gone on that silly young Simpkins." "I think so! She wears a whole collar made up of his photographic buttons."—*Detroit Free Press.*

— A Dilemma: Driver of Terrified Pony—"Pull your confounded dog away, you silly idiot!" Leader of Playful Boarhound—"Beg pardon, sir, but master told me particular not to cross 'im or 'e might collar me!"—*Punch.*

— A Saving Little Wife: Mr. Payne—"What! Sixty-eight dollars for an evening dress? Why, I thought you were going to have your last year's black lace made over?" Mrs. Payne—"I did, dear. I had it made over red satin, and that's what cost so."—*Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.*

— A Matter of Taste—"Beg pardon," said the postal clerk who had sold her the stamps, "but you don't have to put a five cent stamp on a letter for Canada." "I know," said she, "but the shade just matches my envelope, you know."—*Philadelphia Press.*

— Fair Visitor—So you have really decided not to sell your house? Fair Host—Yes. You see, we placed the matter in the hands of a real estate agent. After reading his lovely advertisement of our property neither John nor myself could think of parting with such a wonderful and perfect home.—*Tit Bits.*

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of Pheumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles 10c at R. R. BELLAMY's Drug Store. †

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Produce Exchange.]

STAR OFFICE, October 2.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 36¾ cents per gallon for machine made casks and 36¼ cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN—Market steady at $1.15 per barrel for strained and $1.20 for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.40 per bbl. of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market quiet at $1.10 per barrel for hard $2.10 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine firm at 49@48½c; rosin firm at 90@95c; tar firm at $1.30; crude turpentine firm at $1.50@$2.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	25
Rosin	7
Tar	65
Crude turpentine	107

Receipts same day last year—43 casks spirits turpentine, 226 bbls rosin, 110 bbls tar, 15 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 10¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	7 13-16	cts. ℔ lb
Good ordinary	9 3-16	" "
Low middling	9 13-16	" "
Middling	10¼	" "
Good middling	10 9 16	" "

Same day last year middling firm at 6½c.

Receipts—4,241 bales; same day last year, 2,384 bales.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime 70c. Extra prime, 75c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 80c. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c.

CORN—Firm: 58 to 60 cents per bushel for white.

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N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 12 to 13c per pound; shoulders, 9 to 10c; sides, 7 to 9c.

EGGS—Firm at 16½@17 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 25@30 cents; springs, 15@25 cents.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25 cents.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½ cents per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Money on call firmer at 2@2½ per ct. Prime mercantile paper 5@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at 485⅛ for demand and 481¼@481⅜ for 60 days. Posted rates 482@482½ and 486@486½. Commercial bills 480½@481. Silver certificates 63¾@65. Bar silver 63⅛. Mexican dollars 50. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds strong. U. S. refunding 2's reg'd, 104; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 104; U. S. 2's, reg'd, —; U. S. 3's, reg'd, ex int, 109; do. coupon, 109¾; U. S. new 4's, reg'd, 134⅛; do. coupon, 134⅛; U. S. 4's, old reg'd 114¾; do. coupon, 114¾; U. S. 5's, reg'd, 113¼; do. coupon, 113¼; Southern Railway 5's 108⅞. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 68¼c; Chesapeake & Ohio 27¾; Manhattan L 87¼; N. Y. Central 128¾; Reading 15⅛; do. 1st pref'd 54⅝; St. Paul 113⅞; do. pref'd 173; Southern Railway 11¼; do. pref'd 52; American Tobacco, 88⅝; do. pref'd 128; People's Gas 85⅜; Sugar 116⅞; do. pref'd 115; T. C. & Iron 52; U. S. Leather 9¾; do. preferred 67¼; Western Union 78.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine firm.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 2.—Spirits turpentine firm at 36½c asked. Rosin steady and unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 2.—Spirits turpentine steady at 37c; sales 1,341 casks; receipts 1,879 casks; exports 490 casks. Rosin firm and unchanged; sales — barrels; receipts 6,159 barrels; exports 9,897.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, October 2.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of nine and twelve points, early cables being disappointing and early estimates pointing to large receipts. Later, cables were more favorable and the movement of cotton hardly justified the early expectations. Buying became quite general, conspicuously for Wall street account, and prices moved up two to four points from the opening. Again the feeling turned easier and business dragged in anticipation of the bureau report. This was responded by to an advance of two and three points, after which the market became positively weak under renewed bear confidence. Prices broke from 9.86 for January to 9.75 for that position. The trading partook of a local character. Reports from the Southern spot markets showed a less aggressive demand and rather more disposition to sell, but no pressure. The run of private crop gossip was favorable. There was considerable selling in the afternoon on the idea that the market had been overbought. The market closed steady at twelve and twenty-two points net decline.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Cotton dull; middling uplands 10⅞c.

Cotton futures market closed steady; October 10.20, November 9.93, December 9.80, January 9.80, February 9.80, March 9.81, April 9.80, May 9.81, June 9.81, July 9.81, August 9.72.

Spot cotton closed dull; middling uplands 10⅞c; middling gulf 11⅛c; sales 105 bales.

Net receipts — bales; gross receipts 2,470 bales; exports to the Continent 2,598 bales; stock 31,252 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 56,649 bales; exports to Great Britain 620 bales; exports to the Continent 3,209 bales; stock 389,208 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 162,163 bales; exports to Great Britain 25,647 bales; exports to France 21,837 bales; exports to the Continent 102,650 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 724,006 bales; exports to Great Britain 138,171 bales; exports to France 45,857 bales; exports to the Continent 193,659 bales.

October 2.—Galveston, firm at 10c. net receipts 6,391 bales; Norfolk, steady at 10¼c, net receipts 4,086 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 10¾c, net receipts 264 bales; Boston, quiet at 10⅞c, net receipts 364 bales; Wilmington, firm at 10¼c, net receipts 4,241 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 11⅛c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, quiet at 10 1-16c, net receipts 12,205 bales; New Orleans, quiet at 10¼c, net receipts 25,021 bales; Mobile, quiet at 10c, net receipts 2,491 bales; Memphis, steady at 10¼c, net receipts 1,866 bales; Augusta, firm at 10 3 16, net receipts 2,886 bales; Charleston, quiet at 10c, net receipts 1,581 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Flour was steady, with a moderate tone, closing unsettled with the late break in wheat. Winter straights $3 55@3 65; Minnesota patents $4 20@4 60. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 81¼c. Options opened easy under realizing but advanced later on an active demand from shorts, inspired by firm cable news, more rain in the Northwest, foreign buying and rumors that the Argentine crop had suffered from excessive rains. The market finally broke under a large increase in the world's stocks for the week and closed weak at ¼@½c net decline. March closed 85⅞c; May closed 85⅝; October closed 80⅜c; December closed 82¼c. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 49c. Options were firm most of the session on covering, higher cables, smaller country offerings, the early wheat advance and wet weather West, affecting shipments. Closed firm at ⅛@½c net advance. May closed 41⅛; October closed 46c; December closed 42¼c. Oats—Spot steady; No. 2 25½@25¾c. Options dull but steady, with other markets. Lard firm; Western steam $7 75, nominal; refined firm; continent $7 90. Pork firm; family $16 00@16 50; short clear $14 00@16 50. Butter barely steady; Western creamery 17@22c; State dairy 15½@21. Cheese firm; large white 11⅛@11¼c; small white 11¼@11⅜c. Peanuts were steady; fancy hand-picked 4@4¼c; other domestics 2½@4c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 45@50. Tallow steady. Petroleum easier. Potatoes quiet; Jerseys $1 00@1 50; New York $1 50@2 62½; Long Island $1 50@1 75; Jersey sweets $2 25@2 75. Rice firm. Cotton seed oil was very slow again but steady for prompt delivery. October and November quoted from 35@36c. Quotations closed: Prime summer yellow 37c, for prompt; off summer yellow 36@36½c; prime winter yellow 41@42c; prime white 40@41c; prime meal $26 00. Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 8½c; mild quiet; Cordova 9¾@14c. Sugar unchanged.

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—Wheat acted firm early, but turned heavy on the world's large visible increase. November closed ⅛@⅜c under yesterday. Corn closed ⅜c higher and oats a shade down. Provisions closed 2½c up.

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—Cash quotations: Flour—Market firm. Wheat—No. 2 spring —c; No. 3 spring 71⅜@77½; No. 2 red 76½@78c. Corn—No. 2, 40@40½. Oats—No. 2 22⅜@23c; No. 2 white 25@26c; No. 3 white 24¼@25½c. Pork, per barrel $12 80@12 85. Lard, per 100 lbs, $7 22½@7 25. Short rib sides, loose, $8 10@8 30. Dry salted shoulders, $6 25@6 37½. Short clear sides, boxed $8 60@8 70. Whiskey—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 27.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 October 76⅜@76¾, 77⅞, 76⅜, 76⅜@76½c; November 77½@77¾, 77⅞, 77, 77⅛; December 78½@78¾, 78½, 77⅝, 77¾@77⅞. Corn—October 39⅜@39½, 39⅞, 39⅜, 39⅞c; November 37¼, 37⅜, 37¼, 37⅜; December 34¾@34⅞, 35@35⅛, 34⅞, 34⅞c. Oats—October 22½@22¼, 22¼, 22, 22c; November 22⅜@22½, 22½, 22¼@22⅜, 22¼@22⅜c; December 22¾@22⅞, 22⅞@23, 22⅝, 22⅝@22¾. Pork, per bbl—October $12 70, 12 90, 12 70, 12 80; Noember $11 55, 11 55, 11 40, 11 40; January $11 75, 11 82½, 11 75, 11 75. Lard, per 100 lbs—October $7 20, 7 25, 7 20, 7 20; November $7 20, 7 25, 7 20, 7 22½; January $6 90, 6 92½, 6 87½, 6 90. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—October $8 05, 8 25, 8 20, 8 20; November $7 47½, 7 55, 7 42½, 7 42½; January $6 30, 6 32½, 6 30, 6 30.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, October 2, 4 P. M.—Cotton—Spot, moderate business; prices steady; American middling 6⅝d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 100 were for speculation and export and included 6,600 bales American. Receipts 4,000 bales, all American.

Futures opened quiet and closed steady. American middling (l. m. c.) October 5 61-64d seller; October and November 5 43 64@5 44 64d buyer; November and December 5 37-64@5 38 64d buyer; December and January 5 34-64d seller; January and February 5 31-64@5 32-64d seller; February and March 5 29-64@5 30-64d seller; March and April 5 27-64@5 28-64d seller; April and May 5 26-64d buyer; May and June 5 25-64d seller; June and July 5 23-64@5 24-64d buyer; July and August 5 22-64d seller.

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Emma Knowlton, 309 tons, Hutchinson, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Mecosta, 242 tons, Strout, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Sarah D Fell, 533 tons, Loveland, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Massachusetts, 501 tons, Jones, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Charles C Lister, 267 tons, Robinson, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Montana, (Am), 337 tons, Buie, George Harriss, Son & Co.

STEAMSHIPS.

Dowgate, (Br), 1,869 tons, Cheshire, J H Sloan.
Oscar II, (Nor) 1,999 tons, Olsen, J H Sloan.
Oakland, (Br) 1,252 tons, Granger, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Alnwick, (Br) 1,957 tons, Sanpher, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Wingrove, (Br) 1,818 tons, Keyes Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Bellerby, (Br) 1,979 tons, Finney, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Teresa, (Aus), 2,381 tons, Kreglech, J H Sloan.

BARQUES.

Brodrene, (Nor) 631 tons, Thiis, Heide & Co.
Guldaas, (Nor), 592 tons, Haaland, Heide & Co.
Vardoen, (Nor), 649 tons, Jensen, Heide & Co.

BRIGS.

Gabrielle, 416 tons, Johnson, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—622 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 14 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—2,275 bales cotton, 11 casks spirits turpentine, 4 barrels rosin, 28 barrels tar, 14 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—734 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 3 barrels rosin, 37 barrels tar.

C. C. Railroad—610 bales cotton, 79 barrels crude turpentine.

Totals—Cotton, 4,241 bales; spirits turpentine, 25 casks; rosin, 7 barrels; tar, 65 barrels; crude turpentine, 107 barrels.

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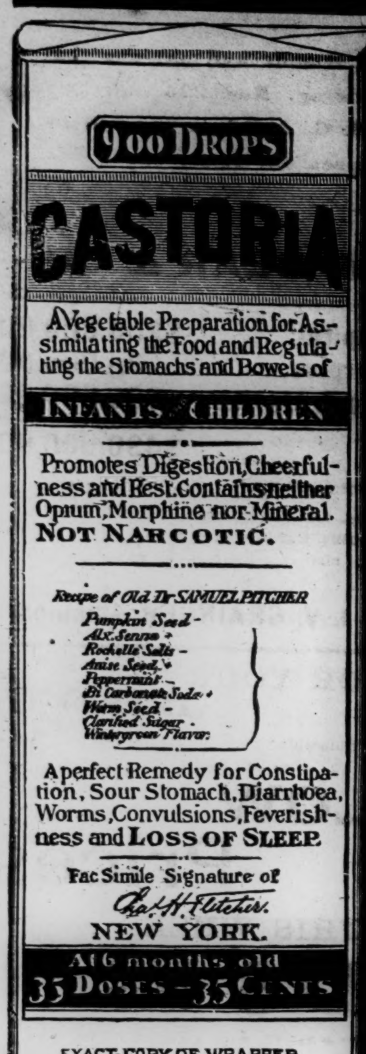
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At the Close of Business Sept. 5th, 1900, Condensed from Report to Comptroller.

RESOURCES.

Loans		$ 849,613.23
Overdrafts		36.83
U. S. Bonds (at par)		216,100.00
Banking House and Fixtures		10,000.00
Due from app'd res've agt's	$ 32,483.49	
Due from other banks	162,145.02	
Cash on hand	98,592.78	—293,221.29
Total		$1,359,971.35

LIABILITIES.

Capital		$ 125,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits		168,307.65
Circulation		95,100.00
Deposits U. S Treas	$120,875.00	
Deposits from Banks	179,645.47	
Deposits from individuals	731,043.23	—1,031,563.70
Total		$1,359,971.35

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	Sept. 5 '98.	Sept. 5, '99.	Sept. 5, 1900
Total deposits	$531,800	$867,100	$1,031,500
Surplus and net profits	83,200	95,900	108,300
U. S. bonds at par	45,100	95,600	216,100

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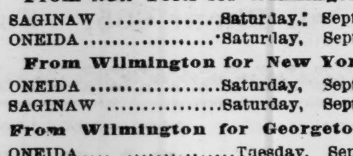
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THE LIMIT OF SPEED BY STEAM.

An Engineer Says It Is in the Man and Not in the Locomotive.

"I read a piece the other day," said an old locomotive engineer, "in which a New Orleans railroad man said that 150 miles an hour was one of the possibilities of future travel. I venture to disagree with him, and I'll tell you why. He doesn't take into account the human machine in the cab. I don't doubt but they will build engines that can stand a 150 mile gait, but they can't build the engineers.

"On a fairly good roadbed one notices very little difference between 25 and 50 miles an hour. I mean the strain on the nerves isn't very materially increased, but anything above that limit is the pace that kills. The sensation is simply indescribable in words. It seems to jar every separate fiber in the body, and the tension is so terrible that one is apt to feel the effect for days. The average man can't stand many spurts at even 65 miles an hour, let alone 150. He comes out of such an ordeal 'all broke up,' and jumps when he hears unexpected noises, like a hysterical woman. My own theory is that the effect is produced mainly through the sight. You have to look straight ahead, but at the same time you see the things whizzing past on both sides out of the tail of your eye, and it is as if something had hold of the optic nerve and was pulling it out like a rubber band. That's a pretty clumsy explanation, but it's as near as I can come to it. Many's the time I've staggered when I got up from my seat in the cab.

"That thing of staring straight ahead," continued the engineer, "is bound to get on any man's nerves in the course of time, particularly during night runs. One sees queer things, and I've had some scares in my life that would have turned my hair as white as milk if hair really turned white that way. The worst trouble is with shadows. It's no uncommon thing for a bird to flit across the headlight and throw a shadow down the track as big as a box car. Of course it's gone in an instant, but in just that heartbeat the nerves have been given a shock that they may not recover from in a week. I've had that happen to me several times. I would be tearing along at a 55 or 60 mile clip, when all of a sudden something big and black would loom out of the dark night between the rails and not four telegraph poles ahead. Next second I would know it to be the shadow of a bird, but as far as I was concerned the mischief was already done. I had had a vision of sudden death and a sledge hammer blow on every nerve center in my system.

"The new electric headlights are worse than the others as spook producers. They cast such sharp shadows that a bug moving over the glass will make you think a cow is lying just in front of your pilot. I owe electric light bugs a number of grudges for little jokes of that kind. All engineers go through the same thing. The man who was never scared is a man who is careless of the lives intrusted to his vigilance, and such a fellow isn't fit to be in the business. These are things that make me doubt the practicability of 100 miles an hour and the possibility of 150. God help the engineer of such a train! He would go mad in a week."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

WONDERFUL INSECTS.

How Ants Bridged a Saucer of Water With a Straw.

Reaumur, in his "L'Histoire des Insectes," says that Cardinal Fleury told him that he saw ants on one occasion build a bridge of earth across some bird lime which had been spread on a tree. On another occasion the cardinal saw these intelligent little architects build a floating bridge across a vessel of water surrounding the bottom of an orange tree tub. They used wood in the construction of this bridge, thus showing that they were aware of the nature of the material necessary to make their bridge a success; also, that they possessed no small engineering skill.

Still more wonderful is the account by Dr. Ellendorf, who writes that he saw ants bridge a saucer of water with a straw. He had placed the legs of a cupboard in saucers of water, thus, for a few days, preventing the ravages of the ants. Finally, however, they again got access to the cupboard and were as bad as ever. On examination he found a straw in one of the saucers which lay obliquely across the edge of the vessel and touched the leg of the cupboard; the ants were using the straw for a bridge.

"I now pushed the straw about an inch away from the cupboard leg," writes Dr. Ellendorf, "and immediately a terrible confusion arose. In a moment the leg immediately over the water was covered with hundreds of ants, feeling for the bridge in every direction with the antennae, running back again and coming in ever larger swarms, as though they had communicated to their comrades within the cupboard the fearful misfortune that had taken place.

"Meanwhile the newcomers continued to run along the straw, and, not finding the leg of the cupboard, the greatest perplexity arose. They hurried around the edge of the saucer and soon found out where the fault lay. With united forces they quickly pulled and pushed at the straw until it again came into contact with the leg of the cupboard, and the communication was restored."—Scientific American.

ALL ATE THEIR HUSBANDS.

Utter Failure of a Costly Experiment to Make Spiders Weave Silk.

As long ago as the beginning of the eighteenth century the idea of using the thread that the spider spins from its body as a substitute for the thread unwrapped from the cocoon of the silkworm was broached, but with little practical result. An Englishman, Mr. Rolt, secured 20,000 feet of silk thread from 22 spiders in two hours.

Of late some experiments have been conducted by curious persons to ascertain which spider produced the best and largest quantity of silk, for it has been demonstrated that it is an excellent substitute for that of the silkworm. Spiders from Paraguay and Argentina, from India, China and Australia, were tried, but the best results were secured from the spiders of Madagascar.

It was found that after laying her eggs the female spider spins most freely. Six of these were selected and confined for the test. From one 2,000 yards of thread were secured in ten days; from the second, 1,350 yards in seven days; from the third and fourth, 450 yards in four days; from the fifth, 1,400 yards in 11 days, and from the sixth, 4,200 yards in 27 days.

A German manufacturer was so delighted with this test that he made elaborate arrangements for having a spider silk mill, importing a large number of the spiders from Madagascar to Germany. All went well until the females had laid their eggs and begun to spin, when all at once the males were found to have disappeared. Their larger feminine companions had grown so fond of them that each female spider had eaten her mate. This catastrophe ended the costly experiment.—Washington Post.

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In a certain household the true and only Vermont maple sirup has never lost its sweetness, and several times a week from the head of the table paterfamilias pours out judiciously measured quantities of it on the plates of his children. To give piquancy to the ceremony he always explains that this time he is going to give Bob an ostrich and Mazie an antelope, with something else from the nursery books for Teddy. One day the latter small philosopher was seen to regard the various plates for a considerable space of time in silence. "What is it, Edward?" his mother asked.

"Nuffin," replied the hopeful. "I was just finkin that me an Bob an Mazie allus seems to get birds an snakes an fings wiv skinny legs, but pop, general-ly gets a el'phant or a hipperpotamus."—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Changed His Mind.

Last week a negro convict was taken from Wichita to the penitentiary. On the way down he begged the sheriff to tell the warden that "I am sickly and not able to work in the coal mines." The sheriff promised and, after seeing the warden, told the negro that it was all fixed, that he was not to work in the coal mines, but be watchman at the deadhouse instead. "Jerusalem!" shouted the affrighted negro. "Tell dat warden I kin dig fohty tons ob coal a day, an don' let him put me wid dem corpusses!"—Kansas City Journal.

Steeple Jack.



"What's that man doing up there, pa? Is he nearsighted and wants to know what time it is?"—Fliegende Blatter.

Her Explanation.

"Why," inquired Mr. Sirius Barker indignantly, "do women gossip so much?"

"Because, dear," his wife answered sweetly, "if they don't go around and get the news during the day their husbands will insist on going down town to hear it instead of staying at home. And, even as it is, they have to go out two or three times a week to gather up what we overlook."—Washington Star.

Market Rates.

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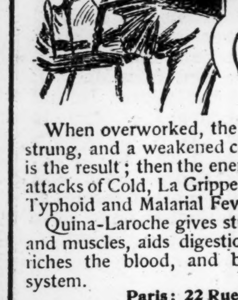
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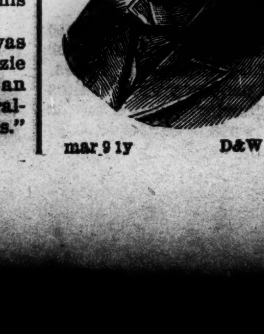
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DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.43 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 6.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.15 P. M., Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.25 A. M., Petersburg 2.37 A. M., Richmond 3.28 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.20 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.35 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.44 P. M., Chadbourn 5.25 P. M., Marion 6.29 P. M., Florence 7.10 P. M., Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.20 P. M., Denmark 5.55 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 10.15 P. M., Savannah 1.59 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.00 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston †1.03 P. M., New York *9.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.20 A. M., Baltimore 2.55 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.48 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.55 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.30 P. M., Warsaw 4.28 P. M., Magnolia 4.35 P. M.

DAILY 9.20 A. M. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.00 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., Baltimore 1.46 P. M., Washington 3.07 P. M., Richmond 6.50 P. M., Petersburg 7.33 P. M., †Norfolk 2.20 P. M., Weldon 9.08 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.25 A. M., Leave Wilson 5.57 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.38 A. M., Magnolia 7.51 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.36 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.20 P. M. No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 7.0 A. M., Sanford 12.05 P. M., Jacksonville 8.30 P. M., Savannah 2.10 A. M., Charleston 6.48 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.24 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.05 P. M., Florence 9.50 A. M., Marion 10.39 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.08 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 6.40 A. M. No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 2.30 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 3.41 P. M., leave Fayetteville 3.46 P. M.

†Daily except Sunday.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.05 A. M., Maxton 9.10 A. M., Red Springs 9.46 A. M., Hope Mills 10.32 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.55 P. M., Red Springs 5.35 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10.18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.17 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. M., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11.00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.10 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 6.40 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.35 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 9.00 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.20 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.20 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M., 5.25 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M., 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 11.40 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.45 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.42 A. M., Rowland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.35 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Boardman at 3.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Boardman 12.25 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 7.35 P. M., Manning 6.04 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.43 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.34 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.40 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 12.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 7.00 A. M., 3.30 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.25 A. M.; 5.55 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.55 P.M.; arrive Darlington 8.20 P. M., Bennettsville 9.17 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.30 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.05 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6.00 A. M., Bennettsville 7.00 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.00 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.10 P. M., Cheraw 5.15 P. M., Hartsville 7.00 A. M., Darlington 6.29 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington Sunday only at 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.59 P. M., 10.40 P. M., arrive Selma 2.48 P. M., 11.24 P. M., Smithfield 3.02 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M., Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 12.19 A. M., Rowland 6.00 P. M. returning leave Rowland 10.58 A. M., Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., 9.41 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 10.54 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 11.33 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.05 A. M., Creston 4.54 A. M., arrive Denmark 5.55 A. M. Returning, leave Denmark 4.24 P. M., Creston 5.22 P. M., Sumter 6.10 P. M. Daily.

Trains leave Creston 5.45 A. M., arrive Pregnalls 9.15 A. M. Returning, leave Pregnalls 10.00 A. M., arrive Creston 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

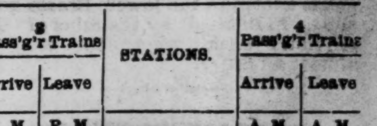
Trains leave Elliott 10.35 A. M., and arrive Lucknow 12.15 P. M. Returning, leave Lucknow 1.50 P. M., arrive Elliott 3.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 9.



To Take Effect Tuesday, Aug. 8, 1899, at 9 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro........	11 05	....
....	4 32	Kinston........	10 12	....
5 40	5 50	Newbern........	8 57	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City.	7 22	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 3.

A NEGRO RAVISHER BURNED AT THE STAKE.

Assaulted a White Woman Near Wetumpka, Ala.—Identified—Confessed the Crime.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WETUMPKA, ALA., October 2.—Winfield Townsend, alias Floyd, a negro, was burned at the stake in the little town of Eclectic, fifteen miles from this place, a half hour after midnight this morning. The negro's crime was an assault upon Mrs. Lennie Harrington, whose husband set fire to the brands which reduced Townsend's body to ashes. Yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock the negro, a nephew of the negro Floyd who was hung in the Wetumpka jail week before last for attempted assault, attempted to outrage Mrs. Harrington. Mr. Harrington was engaged at a cotton gin in Eclectic and lives one mile out of town. The negro came to the house and told Mrs. Harrington that her husband had sent him to get twenty cents from her. She told him she had no change. Then the negro left, but returned in about ten minutes.

The woman's screams were heard by Bob Nichols, another negro, who was passing along the road at the time. He ran to the house in time to see the negro escape. As soon as Mrs. Harrington was brought back to consciousness Nichols gave the alarm.

Chased by Blood-Hounds.

The news spread rapidly. All the stores in Eelectic were closed; all the gins and sawmills shut down; the people left their wagons in the road and their plows in the fields and gathered for a pursuit of the negro. The crowd divided, some scouring the woods near the scene of the crime, others went to the pen, for blood hounds. The dogs were not brought to the scene until nearly dark. They were taken to where the negro's tracks disappeared and an exciting chase ensued. The dogs stopped finally at a tree in front of Odion's store on the outskirts of the town. The crowd coming up soon discovered the negro sitting on a limb. He was brought down at once and taken to the scene of his crime. There he was confronted by his victim, who positively identified him. Word was sent to the other searching parties that the negro had been found and about 11 o'clock a crowd of several hundreds was in the little village. The negro was then taken to the edge of the village, and surrounded by the mob, shivered with fear. The preparations for death were quickly arranged. A rope was flung over the lim of a big oak and a hundred men stood ready to lend a hand at the rope.

Death at the Stake.

Then a halt was called and the manner of death discussed by the mob. To decide the matter a vote was taken and the balloting showed a majority of the crowd favored death at the stake.

The stake was prepared and the negro was bound to it with chains. Pine-knots were piled about him and the flames were fired by the husband of the negro's victim. As they leaped to the wretch's flesh his wild cries to God for mercy and help could be heard for miles. The crowd looked on, deaf to his cries, and in an hour the negro was reduced to ashes.

Confessed the Crime.

Townsend before bound confessed the crime and said he was also implicated with Alexander Floyd, who was hung a couple of weeks ago for an attempted assault on Miss Kate Pearson, in the attempt at that time. He said he and Floyd had planned for other crimes of like character, but that Floyd's being hung put a stop to them.

More Trouble Expected.

WETUMPKA, ALA., October 2.—Townsend made a confession, implicating seven other negroes in his crime. As this is the second white woman assaulted in this vicinity within a month, it is believed there is a conspiracy among the negroes. One of the negroes implicated in the confession of Townsend was in jail here charged with burglary, and as threats of lynching were made he was sent to Montgomery to-night for safe-keeping.

The deputy sheriff had a wild drive of fourteen miles through the country, and had he been thirty minutes later a crowd of men who left here by train would have intercepted him. After reaching Montgomery two other negroes who are implicated in the crime were arrested by the deputy. They are Frank Floyd and Jake Floyd, brothers of the negro Floyd who was lynched at Wetumpka Sept. 9. A singular coincidence is that Mrs. Harrington, who was assaulted yesterday, is a kinswoman of Miss Pearson, who was assaulted on Sept. 3, for which Floyd was lynched. More trouble may arise.

THE COTTON CROP.

Weather Bureau's Report—Picking Progressing Rapidly—Well Advanced.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—The Weather Bureau's weekly summary of crop conditions says:

Rain is generally needed in the South Atlantic and East Gulf States and over portions of the Ohio valley, lower Lake region, and middle Atlantic States, while excessive moisture, due largely to the rains of the previous week, retarded farm work over the region extending from Arkansas to Oklahoma northward to Minnesota and the Dakotas.

Except where interrupted by rains in portions of Arkansas, Oklahoma, and Missouri, cotton picking has progressed under exceptionally favorable conditions and is unusually well advanced. In the central and eastern portions of the cotton belt the bulk of the crop will be gathered by October 10. Picking is progressing rapidly in Texas except in the lower Brazos bottoms, inundated by the rains of the previous week, where the crop is almost a failure.

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POWERS READY TO NEGOTIATE.

Indications of a Complete Agreement As to the Chinese Question.

ON BASIS OF U. S. PROPOSAL.

Degradation of Prince Tuan and Other Chinese Leaders--Departure of Russian Legation from Pekin—A Friendly Correspondence.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, October 2.—Favorable news has reached Washington from the European chancellories indicating that a complete agreement as to China is within sight, and that, too, on the basis of the propositions laid down by Secretary Hay in his note of July 3rd and the subsequent notes treating on that subject. The accord of Russia with the United States is more complete than was anticipated at first and the reports show that all of the European nations probably are placing themselves in a position to take advantage of the opening made by the United States and will soon be ready to begin negotiations for a settlement with the Chinese government. The Russians have given notice of such purpose, and while the text of the French note on this subject referred to in to-day's press dispatches has not reached the State Departmentt, he officials are satisfied that this is correctly reported and that France, like Russia, is ready to negotiate at once.

Degradation of Chinese Leaders.

The Chinese minister has delivered to the State Department official confirmation of the degradation of Prince Tuan and many other leaders. The following official statement is made as to Minister Wu's dispatch:

"A cablegram received from Director General Sheng, at Shanghai, states that by imperial edict, issued on Sept. 25, Prince Chwang, Prince Yih, secondary Princes Tsai Lien and Tsai Ying, are deprived of all their respective ranks and offices; that Prince Tuan is deprived of office and is handed over to the Imperial Clan Court, which shall consult and decide upon a severe penalty, and his salary is to be stopped; that Duke Tsai Lan and the president of the censorate, Ying Nien, are handed over to the said board, who shall consult and decide upon a severe penalty; and that Kang Yi, assistant grand secretary and president of the civil board, and Chao Shu Chiao, president of the board of punishment, are handed over to the board of censors, who shall consult and decide upon a penalty."

Russia Withdraws from Pekin.

The State Department has received a dispatch from Minister Conger formally announcing the withdrawal and departure of the Russian legation from Pekin.

Chinese Emperor to German Emperor.

BERLIN, October 2.—Following is the text of the Chinese Emperor's message to Emperor William of Germany:

"Greeting—That your majesty's minister has fallen a victim to the rising which suddenly broke out in China without our officials being able to prevent it, whereby our friendly relations were disturbed, is deeply deplored and regretted. By decree we order that sacrifice be made on an altar for the deceased, and Chief Secretary Kun Yang has been instructed to pour libations on the altar. The commercial superintendents of the northern and southern ports have been ordered to take the needful measures concerning the conveyance of the coffin of the deceased. When it reaches Germany a second offering shall be made on an altar.

"Germany has always maintained the friendliest relations with China. We, therefore, entertain the hope that your majesty will renounce all resentment, that peace may be arranged as soon as possible and that universal harmony be rendered possible for all time. This is our most anxious hope and our most ardent wish."

Emperor William's Reply.

Emperor William replied September 30th as follows:

"To the Emperor of China—I, the German Emperor, have received the telegram of your majesty, the Emperar of China. I have observed with satisfaction that your majesty is anxious to expiate accordiug to the custom and precept of your religion, the shameful murder of my minister, which set at naught all civilization; yet, as the German Emperor and a Christian, I cannot regard that abominable crime as atoned for by a libation. Besides my murdered minister, there have gone before the throne of God a large number of our brethren of Christian faith, bishops and missionaries, women and children, who for the sake of their faith, which is also mine, have died the violent death of martyrs, and are accusers of your majesty. Do the libations commanded by your majesty suffice for all these innocent ones? I do not make your majesty personally responsible for the outrage against the legations, which are held inviolable among all nations, nor for the grievous wrongs done so many nations and faiths, and to the subjects of your majesty of my Christian belief. But, the advisers of your majesty's throne and the officials on whose heads rests the blood guilt of a crime which fills all Christian nations with horror, must expiate their abominable deed. When your majesty brings them to the punishment they have deserved, that I will regard as an expiation which will satisfy the nations of Christendom.

"If your majesty will use your imperial power for this purpose, accepting to that end the support of all the injured nations, I, for my part, declare myself agreed on that point. I should also gladly welcome the return of your majesty to Pekin. For this, my general, Field Marshal Von Waldersee, will be instructed not only to receive your majesty with the honors due your rank, but he will also afford your majesty the military protection you may desire and which you may need against the rebels.

"I also long for peace which atones for the guilt which makes good wrongs done, and which offers to all foreigners in China security for life and property, and, above all, for the free service of their religion.

(Signed) "WILLIAM, I. R."

Li Hung Chang.

TIEN TSIN, September 29, via Taku, September 29, via Shanghai, Octobber 2.—Li Hung Chang has abandoned his decision to proceed to Pekin and will, it is announced, begin negotiations with the Russian minister to China, M. De Giers, upon the latter's arrival at Tein Tsin.

Gen. Chaffee estimates that it will take a month to get the American out of China.

TAKU, September 29.—The expedition to Poa Ting Fu has been postponed and the start will not be made until October 6th. Gen. Gaselee and the German general will command the Pekin and Tien Tsin columns, respectively.

The Russians have occupied Tong Shan without opposition.

The New South Wales contingent of the British troops will winter in Pekin.

HON. DAVID B. HILL.

The New York Democratic Champion Addressed a Large Audience—Brought Good Cheer from Empire State.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., Oct. 2.—Although the weather here to-night was intensely disagreeable and cold drizzling rain was falling, a large crowd assembled at the Reservoir Park Casino, a mile from the city, to hear Hon. David B. Hill, of New York, speak.

Mr. Hill was introduced in a few appropriate words by State Democratic Chairman J. Taylor Ellison, and was accorded an enthusiastic reception. Mr. Hill's speech was largely confined to a constitutional argument against imperialism. He hardly touched upon the financial issue. He said that as imperialism was the paramount issue it was natural and proper that he should confine his address to that issue.

He stood squarely on the Dred Scott Scott decision, under which, he argued, the constitution applied to everything we held. He denied that this feature of the decision had been, either formally or informally reversed, and claimed that it brought the territories and our new possessions under the constitution.

He distinctly and vigorously antagonized the proposition that anti slavery judges had delivered opinions that contravened or dissented from the cardinal doctrine laid down by Chief Justice Taney as to the relations of the constitution to annexed territory.

Mr. Hill declared that it was right that Bryan was given the Democratic nomination, and held that in his public career of four years the nominee had not said a foolish thing.

In conclusion, the speaker said that he brought good cheer from the Empire State, that the people were falling into line; that the Democrats were working night and day; that nothing honorable would be left undone in order to gain a Democratic victory, and that the Democrats expected to carry the Empire State for Wm. J. Bryan.

Mr. Hill, who was the recipient of a good deal of social attention during his brief stay here, left late to night for Danville, where he will speak to-morrow.

TO CONTROL RICE MARKET.

Plans of a Syndicate of New York Capitalists—Favored by Rice Farmers of Several States.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BEAUMONT, TEXAS, Oct. 2.—A meeting of leading rice farmers, millers and all others who are interested in the culture of rice was held in this city yesterday to consider a proposition which is practically to control the rice market for the United States. The meeting was held at the instance of Anderson Herd, of New York, and C. C. Dusen, of Crowley, La. Mr. Herd represents a syndicate of New York capitalists, which he claims has a capital of $7,500,000.

Mr. Herd, in explaining his purpose, said the object of the company is to contract with the rice farmer for all his rice for four years to come, with an option to extend four years more if desired by the company, and to pay a stated price for the rice during the existence of the contract.

The farmers are inclined to sign the contract and Mr. Herd says that already over 90 per cent. of the rice growers of South Carolina, Georgia and Louisiana have agreed to the plan.

THE GEORGETOWN TROUBLE.

Militia Overawed the Riotous Negroes. The Cause of the Riot.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 2.—Governor McSweeney was advised this morning that all is quiet is Georgetown. The presence of six companies of militia has overawed the negroes. The cause of the trouble has just been learned. Saturday afternoon J. C. Scurry, a white deputy, went to collect delinquent taxes from a negro barber, John Brownfield. A fight ensued, in which Scurry's pistol dropped. The negro grabbed it and shot Scurry five times. Brownfield was arrested. The negroes heard that the white people would ring the fire bell to get the negroes to assemble in another part of the town and then the whites would rush to the jail and lynch Brownfield. The negroes rang the bell themselves and a thousand of them dashed to the jail with rifles and pistols to protect the prisoner. They kept up horrible orgies all night. The whites intended no violence to the prisoner, and fearing the negroes would be led into an aggressive outbreak they asked for the militia.

REPUBLICAN BOASTING.

National Committee Claims 266 Votes Certain on the Electoral College.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, October 2.—In a statement issued from Republican National Headquarters, through Comitteeman Manley, the national committee claims 266 votes certain in the Electoral College for Mr. McKinley, 112 for Mr. Bryan, and 54 put down as in doubt. The States conceded to Bryan are Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, the Carolinas, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia. In the doubtful column is put Colorado, Idaho, Kentucky, Missouri, Montana, Nevada, Nebraska and Utah. Everything else is put down for McKinley, but Indiana, which with its 15 votes is admitted to be in doubt.

When shown this Republican claim Mr. Richardson, for the Democrats, characterized it as only "so much boasting." He said that the Democrats also had a poll, which was very different from the Republican one, but that it would not be made public.

FORTY CHINESE KILLED.

Fight Between a German Force and Boxers Near Pekin.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

PEKIN, Sept. 26, via Taku, Sept. 29, and Shanghai, Oct. 2.—The German column, consisting of 1,700 men under Gen. Von Hoopfner, encountered a small Boxer force south of the Imperial deer park yesterday and killed forty of the Chinese during a fight which followed. The Chinese were put to flight and scattered. Four Germans were wounded.

Chi Hsin, a member of the Tsung Li Yamen, of notorious anti-foreign tendencies and a patron of the Boxers, has been captured in the Imperial city by the Japanese. His fate has not been determined upon.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered intensely for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in ten days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Burns, Boils, Pain, or Piles it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by R. R. BELLAMY druggist. †

DEMONSTRATION BY MINE WORKERS

Parade and Mass Meeting of 150,000 Strikers at Wilkesbarre, Pa.

NO BREAK IN THE RANKS.

Indications of an Intention on the Part of the Strikers to Insist on Other Concessions and to Remain Out Until Demands Conceded.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., October 2.—No break has yet occurred in the ranks of the striking mine workers, though additional offers of an increase of ten per cent. in wages were posted throughout the region. In fact, there were many indications to-day of an intention on the part of the strikers to insist on other concessions and to remain out until the operators give recognition to their national organization.

The feature of the day was the parade and mass meeting of mine workers at Wilkesbarre, arranged with the object of demonstrating the strength of the united mine workers.

President Mitchell was expected to indicate in his speech to the miners his view on the ten per cent. increase conceded by the operators, but beyond noting it is a victory, he had nothing to say on that point.

Neither did he intimate anything as to the probability of an early convention of miners, and after the meeting when questioned on that subject he said that not a local union had requested the calling of a convention.

A significant move in this direction, however, developed to-night at Shenandoah, where all the branches of the United Mine Workers held meetings and selected delegates to a convention to be called later by President Mitchell. This is the first announcement of the selection of the convention delegates.

The entire region was quiet to day and very few mines were in operation.

A Great Demonstration.

WILKESBARRE, PA, October 2.—The parade and mass meeting of the striking miners in this city to day was the greatest labor demonstration ever held in northeastern Pennsylvania. President Mitchell and party arrived from Hazleton shortly after 1 o'clock and were met at the depot by a large and enthusiastic crowd. The parade required an hour and twenty minutes to pass a given point. It is estimated that there were 15,000 men and breaker boys in line. The great bulk of the paraders was made up of stalwart men. As a rule they were well dressed and some of them from their appearance might be taken for a body of farmers. Many banners and transparencies were carried by the men. Among the most noticeable were these: "We want our dinner pails filled with substantial food, not coal barons' taffy;" "We are fighting a cause that is just and right;" "Stand by President Mitchell and the Union;" "Our Union must be recognized;" "We will no longer be slaves;" "2240 pounds for a ton;" "We want two weeks' pay."

President Mitchell reviewed the great army of marchers on the river common. He was generously applauded by the marchers.

When the last of the marchers swept past, President Mitchell and his colleagues were driven to West Side Park, where the big mass meeting was held. Nearly 20,000 persons were massed in front of the stand when the labor president began to speak. Mr. Mitchell said:

"The greatest strike in the history of the world is drawing to a close. Already the great coal-carrying railroads have agreed to increase your wages ten per cent., which is a great victory in itself. True, it is not enough, it does not satisfy us, but the time is not far distant when the anthracite coal miners will receive as much for their labor as any other class of workmen in the world.

"This strike shall not be declared off by me. It shall not be endcd until a convention of anthracite miners shall so decide. Every union and every colliery will be asked to send one or more delegates to a convention to determine the question for themselves. I shall not decide the question of your going back to work. You must vote on that yourself. I will not pretend to determine your fate or that of the 300,000 who are directly affected by this struggle."

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., October 2.—President Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, has written national headquarters here that he is confident of securing greater concessions than those offered by the anthracite coal companies and the railroad companies for the striking miners in Pennsylvania. Mr. Mitchell says the railroads hold the key to the situation, and it is useless to deal with individual operators.

BRYAN'S EASTERN CAMPAIGN.

Arrangements for Speeches in New York, West Virginia and Maryland.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—Senator Jones, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, to-day announced the following itinerary for the eastern campaign of Wm. J. Bryan:

Madison Square Garden, New York city, October 16th; at other points in the State of New York, October 17th to 20th, inclusive; West Virginia, October 22nd; Maryland, October 23rd; Delaware, October 24th; New Jersey, October 25th and 26th; New York city, October 27th. On the latter date Mr. Bryan will address a meeting of Bryan clubs of the Atlantic Coast States.

It has not been decided whether Mr. Bryan will make any speeches in Illinois after closing the Eastern tour.

COTTON SPINNERS' ASSOCIATION

About Fifty Representatives of Mills in the Carolinas in Attendance.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 2.—The session of the Southern Cotton Spinners Association began here to-day, representatives from about fifty North Carolina and South Carolina mills being present. Only routine business was transacted. To-morrow the question of fixing a new schedule of prices will be taken up for discussion, and if not then agreed upon the meeting may be extended until Thursday.

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THE MOVEMENT OF COTTON.

Decrease for the Month as Compared With Last Year—Mill Takings, Stocks and Exports.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, October 2.—Secretary Hester's New Orleans Cotton Exchange statement, issued to-day, covers the monthly movement to the close of September.

Compared with last year it shows a decrease for the month in round figures of 239,000 bales. The statement shows receipts at ports for the month 619,985 against 788,428 last year; net shipments overland 22,532 against 63,333 last year; Southern mill takings, exclusive of consumption at Southern outports, 113,737, against 130,356 last year; interior stocks in excess of amounts held September 1, 123,071 against 136,645 last year.

American mills have taken during the month 153,200 bales, against 236,454 last year, of which by Northern spinners and Canada, overland, 38,738 bales, against 182,792.

Foreign exports for September were 346,973 bales, showing a decrease under the same period last year of 100,842.

Stocks at the seaboard and the twenty-nine leading Southern interior markets at the close of September were 499,688 bales, against 1,053,341 last year.

Including stocks left over at ports and interior towns from the last crop and the number of bales of the new crop brought into sight during September, the supply to date is 1,001,861 bales, against 1,737,610 last year.

DEMOCRATIC CLUBS.

National Convention to Assemble in Indianapolis To-day.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Oct. 2.—Five hundred to one thousand visitors have arrived for the National Convention of Democratic Clubs, which opens to-morrow in Tomlinson Hall. The New York and New England delegations arrived to night, the first delegations of any size to reach here. The States represented by the arrivals so far are New York, Maine, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, New Hampshire, Tennessee, Florida, New Jersey, Kentucky, Missouri, Ohio, Illinois, Texas, Virginia, West Virginia, Minnesota, Alabama and Nebraska.

The Indiana crowd, which is expected to form three-fourths of the entire attendance, has not begun to arrive in numbers as yet, but the leaders of the party who have, arrived to the number of several hundred all say their sections will be largely represented.

To-night, at the meeting of the convention managers, the official programme of speeches was arranged.

BAY STATE DEMOCRATS.

Robt. T. Paine Again Nominated for Governor of Massachusetts.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BOSTON, October 2.—Robert T. Paine, Jr., was again nominated for Governor by Bay State Democrats to-day.

The platform adopted declares the dominant question to be the continuance of government by consent of the governed; declares the Porto Rico law is an outrage on the liberties of the people; calls for a free constitution for Cuba and in the Philippines a speedy restoration of independence; opposes any alliance, open or secret with any foreign nation; condemns company stores in the coal fields; calls for the initiative and referendum, also an inheritance tax and municipal ownership of public utilities.

An innovation was the reading of the Declaration of Independence previous to beginning the work of the convention.

MURDERED BY CHINESE.

Miss Hattie J. Rice and Miss Mary E. Houston, American Missionaries.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—Mr. Goodnow, consul general of the United States at Shanghai, reports to the Department of State in his dispatch of August 25th, just received, the murder of two American missionaries, Miss Hattie J. Rice and Miss Mary J. Houston, both of the China Inland Mission, and stationed at Lu Cheng, in Shan Si province. It is understood that a sister of Miss Rice, Mrs. J. P. Lewis, resides at Hartford, Conn., and that Miss Houston's mother resides at Mobile, Ala. Both ladies have been communicated with on the subject.

WARM WIRELETS.

In the New York municipal council yesterday a resolution for the removal of the Dewey acrh was introduced and adopted.

Prince Albert of Belgium, heir presumptive to the throne of that country, was married yesterday to the Duchess Elizabeth of Bavaria.

A dispatch from Milan announces the arrest of five suspected Anarchists from the United States. One was found in possession of a revolver. They were supplied with ammunition and English money.

The Alleghany, of the Merchants' and Miners' Transportation Co., the first steamship to sail from Philadelphia in regular ocean traffic with the South, steamed down the Delaware river yesterday with a full cargo for Savannah, Ga.

General Osman Pasha, a near relative of the deceased Osman Pasha, the "hero of Plevna," arrived yesterday at Marseilles, from Constantinople, from whence he fled owing to the Sultan's suspicions that he was engaged in a conspiracy.

Shortly after midnight fire broke out in the large shoe factory of J. E. Dayton & Co., Williamsport, Pa., and at 2 o'clock this morning was not under control. The factory and contents are valued at $300,000; partially covered by insurance.

Charles R. Hewitt filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court, New York, showing liabilities of $351,519; no assets. Among the creditors are: Kimball Lumber Co., Apalachicola, Fla., $12,000; Banzler Lumber Co., Pascogoula, Miss., $9,495; Atlantic Lumber Co., Jacksonville, Fla., $4,330.

Sixty thousand majority is the vote the Democratic party of Georgia expects to obtain at the general State election to-day. The Populists who have a State ticket in the field do not expect to elect it, but in many of the doubtful counties of the State they claim they will name the local officers and members of the General Assembly.

The East Carolina Real Estate Agency has excellent facilities for selling farms and timbered lands. It advertises all property and makes only a nominal charge unless a sale is made. For terms etc., address R. G. Grady & Co., Burgaw N. C.

A DESPERATE AFFRAY.

Duel Between Railroad Employes at Moundsville, Ala.—Both Men Were Fatally Wounded.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TUSCALOOSA, ALA., Oct. 2.—Rodney Lowrey, nephew of ex-Gov. Lowrey of Mississippi, fought a duel this morning at Moundsville, Ala., fifteen miles from here, with W. H. White, foreman of the section. Both, it is believed, were fatally wounded.

Lowrey is the agent for the railroad company at Moundsville. This morning he had some words with section Foreman White over the moving of a car of cotton seed. White, is alleged, threatened Lowrey and Lowrey procured a pistol out of his office. White was already armed and as Lowrey returned to the platform the men began shooting at each other, advancing as they fired. Lowrey was shot four times, in the leg, right side, right forearm and chest. Each man fired five times, but Lowrey's last ball was the only one that struck White. This last shot was fired within five feet of him and struck White in the abdomen. Lowrey, with his right forearm shot, then clubbed White into insensibility with the butt end of his pistol. White has a wife and three children, Lowrey is 33 years old and single.

BOERS STILL ACTIVE.

British Convoy Captured and Wagons Burned Near Blood River.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DURBAN, October 2.—In consequence of the Boers capturing a convoy of Natal volunteers between De Jagers and Blood river, burning several wagons and capturing the escort, the home going of the Natal volunteers has been indefinitely postponed.

This has caused a painful impression throughout the colony.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

On and after October 4th, the steamer Buck will leave foot Dock street for Southport, 9.45 A. M. Returning, leave Southport 2.30 P. M. Fare for round trip, 50 cents Cut rates on freight. W. H. Ward. oct 3 1t*

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The Classes in the Fletcher Music Method (Simplex and Kindergarten) will be opened Tuesday, October 15th. For particulars apply to Mrs. G. J. McMillan, 504 South Front street; Miss Louise K. Corbett, 411 North Fourth street. oct 3 4t*

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"W. Lee Harvey, Piano Tuner; letters of recommendation from teachers and professional musicians; also, diploma. Teacher of Mandolin, Guitar and all Band instruments." Ludden & Bates' Southern Music House, 109 Market street. sep 30 tf

Select Kindergarten—Miss Gibson will re-open the Select Kindergarten at 111 South Third street on October 16th. To this will be added a Primary Department, in which Reading will be taught by the Phonic method. sep 30 15t

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